H. R. 914.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JANUARY 14, 1861.

Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

FEBRUARY 4, 1861.

Reported by Mr. Pearce with amendments, viz: Strike out the words printed in [brackets] and insert those printed in *italics*.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the naval service for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 That the following sums be, and they are hereby, appropri-
- 4 ated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not other-
- 5 wise appropriated, for the year ending the thirtieth of June,
- 6 eighteen hundred and sixty-two.
- For pay of commission, warrant, and petty officers and
- 8 seamen, including the engineer corps of the Navy, four mil-
- 9 lion four hundred and thirty-eight thousand five hundred
- 10 and seventy-seven dollars.
- 11 For provisions for commission, warrant, and petty offi-
- 12 cers and seamen, including engineers and marines attached

to vessels for sea-service, one million forty-two thousand 13 14 eight hundred and fifty dollars.

For surgeons' necessaries and appliances for the sick 15 and hurt of the Navy, including the engineer and marine 16 17

corps, thirty-five thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

For the repair and equipment of vessels of the Navy. 18 two million five hundred and eighty thousand dollars: Pro-19 vided, That not more than three thousand dollars shall 20 21 hereafter be expended at any navy-yard in repairing the hull and spars of any vessel until the necessity and expe-22 23 diency of such repair, and the probable cost thereof be ascertained and reported to the Navy Department by an 24 25 examining board, to be composed of one captain or com-26 mander in the Navy, to be appointed by the Secretary of 27 the Navy, the naval constructor of the yard where any 28 vessel may be ordered for repairs, and two master-workmen 29 of such yard, or one master-workman and an engineer cf 30 the Navy, according to the nature of the repairs to be 31made; said master-workman or engineer to be designated 32 by the head of the Bureau of Construction and Repairs; and not more than one thousand dollars shall be expended 33 34 in repairs on the sails and rigging of any vessel until the 35 expediency and necessity of such repairs, and the estimated 36 cost thereof, have been ascertained and reported to the

Navy Department by an examining board, to be composed

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of one naval officer, appointed by the Secretary of the Navy, and the master rigger and the master sailmaker of the yard where such vessel may be ordered.

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For fuel for the Navy, to be purchased in the mode prescribed by law for other materials, and for the transportation thereof, five hundred and forty thousand dollars.

For the purchase of hemp and other materials for the Navy, three hundred thousand dollars.

For ordnance and ordnance stores, including incidental expenses, three hundred and twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars.

49 For contingent expenses that may accrue for the follow-50 ing purposes, viz: freight and transportation, printing and 51 stationery, advertising in newspapers, books, maps, models, 52 and drawings, purchase and repair of fire-engines and machinery, repairs of and attending to steam-engines in navy-53 54 yards, purchase and maintenance of horses and oxen, and driving teams, carts, timber wheels, and the purchase and 55 repairs of workmen's tools, postage of public letters, fuel, 56 57 oil, and candles for navy-yards and shore stations, pay of 58 watchmen and incidental labor not chargeable to any other appropriation, transportation to and labor attending the 59 delivery of provisions and stores on foreign stations, wharfage, 60 dockage, and rent, traveling expenses of officers and others 61 under orders, funeral expenses, store and office rent, fuel, com-62

missions and pay of clerks to navy agents and storekeepers, 63 flags, awnings, and packing boxes, premiums and other ex-64 penses of recruiting, apprehending deserters, per diem pay to 65 persons attending courts-martial, courts of inquiry, and other 66 services authorized by law, pay to judges advocate, pilotage, 67 68 and towage of vessels, and assistance to vessels in distress, and for bills of health and quarantine expenses of vessels of the 69 United States Navy in foreign ports, eight hundred and 70 71 ninety-nine thousand dollars: Provided, That the expenditures under the foregoing appropriations shall be so ac-7273 counted for as to show the disbursements by each bureau under each respective appropriation. 74

[For the purchase of the right to use in the United States Navy, or steamships and propellers, a governor to a marine steam-engine, provided the Secretary of the Navy may deem if expedient, twenty-five thousand dollars.]

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For the purchase of the right to use in the United States
Navy, on steamships and propellers, in navy-yards, or otherwise, whenever the government of the United States may choose
to use the same, Sargeant's steam-engine governor, fifteen
thousand dollars: Provided, The Secretary of the Navy shall
consider it expedient.

MARINE CORPS.

For pay of officers, non-commissioned officers, musi-87 cians, privates, clerks, messengers, stewards, and servants

88	for rations and clothing for servants, additional rations
89	for five years' service, for undrawn clothing and rations,
90	bounties for re-enlistments, four hundred and twenty-five
91	thousand two hundred and seventy-eight dollars and eighty
92	cents.
93	For provisions, seventy-one thousand seven hundred
94	and fifty-nine dollars.
95	For clothing, eighty-one thousand six hundred and
96	ninety dollars.
97	For fuel, twenty-one thousand three hundred and
98	forty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.
99	For military stores, viz: pay of armorers, repair of
100	arms, purchase of accouterments, ordnance stores, flags,
101	drums, fifes, and other instruments, twelve thousand dollars.
102	For transportation of officers and troops, and ex-
103	penses of recruiting, fourteen thousand dollars.
104	For repairs of barracks, and rent of offices where
105	there are no public buildings for that purpose, eight thou-
106	sand dollars.
107	For contingencies, viz: freight, ferriage, toll, carriage,
108	wharfage, purchase and repair of boats, compensation to
109	judges advocate, per diem for attending courts-martial,
110	courts of inquiry, and for constant labor, house rent in lieu
111	of quarters, burial of deceased marines, printing, stationery,
112	postage, telegraphing, apprehension of deserters, oil, can-

113	dles, gas, repair of gas and water fixtures, water rent, forage,
114	straw, barrack furniture, furniture for officers' quarters, bed
115	sacks, spades, shovels, axes, picks, carpenters' tools, keep
116	of a horse for the messenger, pay of matron, washerwoman,
117	and porter at the hospital headquarters, repairs of fire-
118	engine, purchase and repair of engine hose, purchase of
119	lumber for benches, mess tables, bunks, repairs to public
120	carryall, purchase and repair of harness, galleys and cook-
121	ing stoves for mess rooms, stoves where there are no grates,
122	gravel for parade grounds, repairs of pumps, furniture for
123	staff and commanding officers' offices, brushes, brooms,
124	buckets, paving, and for other purposes, thirty-two thou-
125	sand five hundred dollars.
126	NAVY-YARDS.
127	PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE.
128	For repairs of all kinds, twenty thousand dollars.
129	BOSTON.
130	For machinery for machine shop, twenty thousand
131	dollars.
132	For repairs of all kinds, forty thousand dollars.
133	NEW YORK.
134	For boilers for new boiler-house, sixteen thousand
135	two hundred and twenty-five dollars.
136	For boilers for machine shop, twelve thousand five

137 hundred dollars.

138	For machinery for smithery and saw-mill, eight thou-
139	sand five hundred dollars.
140	For repairs of all kinds, thirty thousand dollars.
141	PHILADELPHIA.
142	For repairs of all kinds, twelve thousand and forty-
143	three dollars.
144	WASHINGTON.
145	For repairs of all kinds, twenty thousand dollars.
146	For wall on west side of yard, five hundred and forty
147	feet long, thirteen thousand four hundred and eighty-eight
148	dollars.
149	NORFOLK.
150	For completing timber shed number seventeen, nine
151	thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight dollars.
152	For completing spar shed, twelve thousand dollars.
153	For repairs of all kinds, twenty thousand dollars.
154	For amount due to contractors for provision store
155	and to complete the same, thirty-six thousand one hundred
156	and sixty-eight dollars.
157	PENSACOLA.
15 8	For repairs of all kinds, ten thousand dollars.
159	MARE ISLAND.
160	For completing machine shop, fifty thousand dollars.
161	For completing smithery, fifteen thousand dollars.
162	For completing coopers' shop, ten thousand dollars.

1 63	For repairs of all kinds, twenty thousand dollars.
164	SACKETT'S HARBOR.
165	For repairs of all kinds, one thousand dollars.
166	HOSPITALS.
167	BOSTON.
168	For repairs of all kinds, two thousand five hundred
169	dollars.
170	NEW YORK.
171	For repairs of hospital buildings, laboratory, and
172	apparatus, two thousand one hundred dollars.
173	NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILADELPHIA.
174	For furniture and repairs, house-cleaning and white-
175	washing, repairs to furnaces, grates, and ranges, gas and
176	water rent, and for repairs of all kinds, four thousand
177	three hundred dollars.
178	For support of beneficiaries at the asylum, twenty-
179	seven thousand dollars.
180	WASHINGTON.
181	For repairs of all kinds, one thousand dollars.
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183	For general repairs at hospital, eight thousand dol-
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185	PENSACOLA.
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187	dollars.

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188	MAGAZINES.
189	For the construction and completion of works, and
190	for the current repairs at the several naval magazines:
191	BOSTON,
192	For repairs of all kinds, and building a powder-boat,
193	five thousand four hundred dollars.
194	WASHINGTON.
195	For repairing and improving ordnance building, six
196	thousand dollars.
197	NORFOLK.
198	For shot-beds and gun-skids, additional store at
199	magazine, and for repairs of all kinds, twelve thousand
200	five hundred dollars.
201	For pay of superintendents, naval constructors, and
202	all the civil establishments at the several navy-yards and
203	stations, one hundred and forty-eight thousand one hun-
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205	For the purchase of nautical instruments for the use
206	of the Navy; for repairs of the same, and also of astro-
207	nomical instruments; and for the purchase of nautical
208	books, maps, and charts, and for backing and binding the
209	same, twenty thousand dollars.
210	For models, drawings, and copying; for postage,
211	freight, and transportation; for keeping grounds in order;
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for fuel and lights, and for all other contingent expenses; and for the wages of persons employed at the United States Naval Observatory and Hydrographical Office, namely: one instrument maker, two watchmen, and one porter, nine thousand dollars.

For the erection and repairs of buildings, improvement and preservation of the grounds, and for contingencies at the United States Naval Academy, forty-nine thousand five hundred and sixty-seven dollars and twentyfive cents.

For preparing for publication the American Nautical Almanac, twenty-five thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars.

For reducing and preparing for printing and engraving, 225under direction of Captain Cadwalader Ringgold, of the 226 United States Navy, copies of the charts of all surveys and 227reconnoissances made by him while in command of the North 228Pacific Surveying Expedition, and of the "Coral Archipel-229ago," and the approaches thereto, together with sailing direc-230 tions, reports, hydrographic and other results, and observa-231 tions explanatory of the voyage, calculated to lesson the dan-232gers and facilitate intercourse with the Eastern seas, China, 233° and Japan, in accordance with the estimates of Captain 234 Ringgold, seven thousand seven hundred dollars: Provided, 235That no publication shall be made under and by virtue 236

- 237 hereof, except the same be the result of actual surveys, recon-238 noissances, and observations made by Captain Ringgold, or 239 under his personal direction and supervision.
 - 1 Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the payments
 - 2 heretofore made to the clerks of yards and the command-
 - 3 ants' clerks at the navy-yards of Kittery and Philadelphia,
 - 4 under appropriations made by Congress for that purpose,
 - 5 at the rate of twelve hundred dollars per annum, are
 - 6 hereby allowed and confirmed.